

**Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Finance and Revenue  
Notice of Public Hearing**

John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004.

**ABBREVIATED NOTICE**

**COUNCILMEMBER JACK EVANS, CHAIR  
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND REVENUE**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON**

**Bill 17-134, the "Prohibition of the Investment of Public Funds in Financial Institutions Making Loans or Doing Business with the Government of Sudan";  
Bill 17-140, the "Quality Teacher Incentive Clarification Act of 2007";  
Bill 17-201, the "Eastern Market and Georgetown Public Library Disaster Relief Act of 2007";  
Bill 17- 208, the "Capitol Riverfront Business Improvement District Amendment Act of 2007"; and  
PR 17-259, the "Washington Humane Society Revenue Bonds Project Approval Resolution of 2007"**

**Tuesday, June 12, 2007, 11:00 a.m.  
Room 412, John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW; Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Jack Evans, Chairperson of the Committee on Finance and Revenue, announces a public hearing on Bill 17-134, the "Prohibition of the Investment of Public Funds in Financial Institutions Making Loans or Doing Business with the Government of Sudan"; Bill 17-140, the "Quality Teacher Incentive Clarification Act of 2007"; Bill 17-201, the "Eastern Market and Georgetown Public Library Disaster Relief Act of 2007"; Bill 17- 208, the "Capitol Riverfront Business Improvement District Amendment Act of 2007"; and PR 17-259, the "Washington Humane Society Revenue Bonds Project Approval Resolution of 2007". The public hearing will be held on Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.

Bill 17-134, the "Prohibition of the Investment of Public Funds in Financial Institutions and Companies Making Loans to or Doing Business with the Government of Sudan Act of 2007" was introduced by Councilmembers Marion Barry, Carol Schwartz, and Harry Thomas, Jr. It would amend the District of Columbia Depository Act of 1977, the District of Columbia Housing Finance Agency Act, and the District of Columbia Retirement Reform Act to prohibit the investment of public funds in the stocks, securities, or other obligations of any bank, financial institution, or company which makes loans to or does business with the Government of Sudan.

Bill 17-140, the "Quality Teacher Incentive Clarification Act of 2007" was introduced by Councilmember Jack Evans. It would amend section 47-1803.02(b-2) of the DC Code to clarify that DC public charter school teachers are eligible for certain deductions for taxable years beginning in 2006, and to ensure that the deductions allowed by this amendment are allowed only to the extent the same expenses were not used by the taxpayer in computing Federal adjusted gross income for the same taxable year under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

Bill 17-201, the "Eastern Market and Georgetown Public Library Disaster Relief Act of 2007" was introduced by Chairman Vincent Gray at the request of the Mayor. It would authorize the expenditure of additional revenue realized through a revised quarterly revenue estimate for the rebuilding of Eastern Market and Georgetown Public Library and to amend title 47 of the DC Code to provide an exemption from the remittance of sales taxes by the dislocated interior market tenants at Eastern Market for a period of time.

Bill 17- 208, the "Capitol Riverfront Business Improvement District Amendment Act of 2007" was introduced by Councilmembers Tommy Wells and Jack Evans. It would amend the Business Improvement Districts Act of 1996 to approve the establishment of the Capitol Riverfront Business Improvement District, to be located in portions of Southwest and Southeast, D.C., in Ward 6.

PR 17-259, the "Washington Humane Society Revenue Bonds Project Approval Resolution of 2007" was introduced by Chairman Vincent Gray at the request of the Mayor. It would authorize up to \$5 million in District of Columbia revenue bonds to assist the Washington Humane Society with a project authorized pursuant to section 490 of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act.

The Committee invites the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact Ruth Werner, Legislative Analyst at (202) 724-8058 or [rwerner@dccouncil.us](mailto:rwerner@dccouncil.us), and provide your name, organizational affiliation (if any), and title with the organization by 11:00 a.m. on Monday, June 11, 2007. Witnesses should bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing. The Committee allows each individual 3 minutes to provide oral testimony in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard. Additional written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Written statements may be submitted by e-mail to [rwerner@dccouncil.us](mailto:rwerner@dccouncil.us) or mailed to: Council of the District of Columbia; 1350 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.; Suite 114; Washington D.C. 20004. The hearing record will close ten days following the conclusion of the hearing. Persons submitting written statements for the record should observe this deadline. This notice has been abbreviated in order to act upon this legislation prior to the Council's July legislative meeting.

Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs  
**Notice of Public Hearing**  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

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**COUNCILMEMBER MARY CHEH, CHAIRPERSON  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON**

**Bill 17-177, the "Noise Control Protection Amendment Act of 2007"**

**Monday, July 9, 2007**

**10:00 a.m.**

**Council Chamber**

**John A. Wilson Building**

**1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.**

On Monday, July 9, 2007, Councilmember Mary Cheh, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, will hold a public hearing on Bill 17-177, the "Noise Control Protection Amendment Act of 2007." Bill 17-177 would define the circumstances in which noise made during non-commercial speaking can be considered a noise disturbance. The public hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m. in the fifth-floor Council Chamber of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should contact Aukima Benjamin, staff assistant to the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, at 724-4902, or via e-mail at [abenjamin@dccouncil.us](mailto:abenjamin@dccouncil.us). All witnesses will be permitted a maximum of three (3) minutes for oral presentation.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, or to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at the end of the business day on Monday, July 23, 2007.

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Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs  
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**COUNCILMEMBER MARY CHEH, CHAIRPERSON  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON**

**Bill 17-34, the "District of Columbia Spam Deterrence Act of 2007"**

**Tuesday, July 10, 2007  
3:00 p.m.  
Room 412  
John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.**

On Tuesday, July 10, 2007, Councilmember Mary Cheh, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, will hold a public hearing on Bill 17-34, the "District of Columbia Spam Deterrence Act of 2007." Bill 17-34 would prohibit and prescribe penalties for false or misleading electronic transmissions, including the use of false or misleading subject-line information or use of a third-party's address without his or her consent. The public hearing will begin at 3:00 p.m. in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should contact Aukima Benjamin, staff assistant to the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, at 724-4902, or via e-mail at [abenjamin@dccouncil.us](mailto:abenjamin@dccouncil.us). All witnesses will be permitted a maximum of three (3) minutes for oral presentation.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, or to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at the end of the business day on Tuesday, July 24, 2007.

**Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Public Safety and the Judiciary  
Notice of Public Hearing**

**1350 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004**

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**COUNCILMEMBER PHIL MENDELSON, CHAIRPERSON  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND THE JUDICIARY ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC  
HEARING**

**on**

**Bill 17-199, "ENHANCED PROFESSIONAL SECURITY AMENDMENT ACT OF 2007"**

**on**

**Tuesday, July 10, 2007  
11:00 a.m., Room 412, John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Phil Mendelson, Chairman of the Committee on Public Safety and the Judiciary, announces a public hearing on Bill 17-199, the "Enhanced Professional Security Amendment Act of 2007." The public hearing will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 10, 2007 in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building.

The stated purpose of Bill 17-199 is to enhance the standards for security officers in the District of Columbia by establishing minimum compensation requirements commensurate to their service.

Those who wish to testify should contact Mr. Victor Bonett, Legislative Analyst, at (202) 724-4865, by fax at (202) 724-6664, or via e-mail at [vbonett@dccouncil.us](mailto:vbonett@dccouncil.us), and provide their name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title (if any) by close of business Friday July 6, 2007. Persons wishing to testify are encouraged, but not required, to submit 15 copies of written testimony. If submitted by the close of business on July 6<sup>th</sup>, the testimony will be distributed to Councilmembers before the hearing. Witnesses should limit their testimony to five minutes; less time will be allowed if there are a large number of witnesses

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to Mr. Bonett, or to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 24, 2007.

Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Human Services  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Room 117, Washington, D.C. 20004

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**THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES  
TOMMY WELLS, CHAIR**  
**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING ON  
INTEGRATED CASE MANAGEMENT IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 2007 -- 10:00 A.M.**

**THE JOHN WILSON BUILDING  
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.  
COUNCIL CHAMBER, ROOM 500  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

**Councilmember Tommy Wells, Chair of the Committee on Human Services, announces a Public Oversight Hearing on Integrated Case Management in the District of Columbia.** The Hearing will be held on Friday, June 22, 2007 in the Council Chamber, Room 500 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. This Hearing has been scheduled to discuss the integration and coordination of case management services across the human service delivery system in the District of Columbia. Topics may include: developing a holistic approach to integrating intake and case management practice; data systems and improving the capacity of social service agencies to share vital information; promotion of cross-disciplinary staff trainings; and exploring agency culture change strategies.

Those who wish to testify should contact Ms. Michelle Chisolm of the Committee on Human Services by e-mail at [mchisolm@dccouncil.us](mailto:mchisolm@dccouncil.us) or by telephone at (202) 724-8191 by Wednesday, June 20, 2007. E-mail contacts to Ms. Chisolm should include the full name, title, and affiliation -- if applicable -- of the person(s) testifying. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the Hearing. Representatives of organizations will be allowed a maximum of five (5) minutes for oral presentation and individuals will be allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes for oral presentation.

If you are unable to testify at the Hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to, Secretary to the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 5, Washington, D.C. 20004, no later than 5:30 p.m., Friday, June 29, 2007.

Council of the District of Columbia

Committee on Human Services

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Room 117, Washington, D.C. 20004

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**THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES  
TOMMY WELLS, CHAIR**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING ON  
YOUTH SERVICES IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 2007 -- 10:00 A.M.**

**THE JOHN WILSON BUILDING  
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.  
COUNCIL CHAMBER, ROOM 500  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

**Councilmember Tommy Wells, Chair of the Committee on Human Services, announces a Public Oversight Hearing on Youth Services in the District of Columbia.** The Hearing will be held on Wednesday, June 27, 2007 in the Council Chamber, Room 500 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. This Hearing has been scheduled to discuss Youth Services in the District of Columbia. Topics may include: incarceration of youth in the DC Jail; efforts to keep kids out of the Juvenile Court system; what happens to youth after they have been arrested, detained, or imprisoned; what efforts are made to re-connect youth with their families and their communities; what happens to youth when they "age-out" of the Court system.

Those who wish to testify should contact Ms. Michelle Chisolm of the Committee on Human Services by e-mail at [mchisolm@dccouncil.us](mailto:mchisolm@dccouncil.us) or by telephone at (202) 724-8191 by Friday, June 22, 2007. E-mail contacts to Ms. Chisolm should include the full name, title, and affiliation -- if applicable -- of the person(s) testifying. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the Hearing. Representatives of organizations will be allowed a maximum of five (5) minutes for oral presentation and individuals will be allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes for oral presentation.

If you are unable to testify at the Hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to, Secretary to the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 5, Washington, D.C. 20004, no later than 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, July 3, 2007.

**Council of the District of Columbia**

Committee on Health

**Notice of Public Oversight Hearing**1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

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**COUNCILMEMBER DAVID A. CATANIA, CHAIR  
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH****Announces A Public Oversight Hearing****On****Implementation of Access Rx****On****Friday, June 29, 2007****10:00 a.m.****The John Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Council Chambers  
Washington, DC 20004**

Councilmember David A. Catania, Chair of the Committee on Health announces a Public Oversight Hearing on implementation of Access Rx. The hearing will be held on Friday, June 29, 2007, at 10:00 a.m., the Council Chambers of the John Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

The purpose of this hearing is to provide the public with an update on the District's implementation of Titles II and III of the Access Rx Act of 2004.

Members of the public are invited to testify. Testimony may be limited to 3 minutes per witness and 5 minutes for an organization. Those wishing to testify should contact the Committee on Health at (202) 724-8170 by Wednesday, June 27, 2007. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the hearing.

Members of the public may submit written testimony, which will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 5; Washington, DC 20004, no later than 5:30 p.m., Friday, July 6, 2007.



Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs  
**Notice of Public Oversight Hearing**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

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**COUNCILMEMBER MARY CHEH, CHAIRPERSON  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING ON**

**Vacant and Nuisance Property Administration and Enforcement**

**Monday, July 2, 2007  
10:00 A.M.**

**John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Council Chamber**

On Monday, July 2, 2007, Councilmember Mary Cheh, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, will hold a public oversight hearing on vacant and nuisance property administration and enforcement. This hearing will explore a range of issues, including the outcomes of vacant and nuisance property cases, enforcement against serious and repeat violators, and best practices in vacant and nuisance property administration and enforcement. The public hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m. in the fifth-floor Council Chamber at the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should contact Aukima Benjamin, Staff Assistant to the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, at 724-4902 or via email at [abenjamin@dccouncil.us](mailto:abenjamin@dccouncil.us). All witnesses will be permitted a maximum of five (5) minutes for oral presentation. The witness list will close at the end of the business day on Thursday, June 28, 2007.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, or to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at the end of the business day on Monday, July 16, 2007.

# Council of the District of Columbia

## Committee of the Whole

### Notice of Public Hearing

John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

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#### Rescheduled

**CHAIRMAN VINCENT C. GRAY  
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING  
BY THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON  
BILL 17-188, "CLOSING OF A PORTION OF 8<sup>TH</sup> STREET, S.E. AND  
THE PUBLIC ALLEY IN SQUARE 5956 AND W-5956, S.O. 05-4555, ACT OF 2007"**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2007, 11:00 A.M.  
COUNCIL CHAMBER, ROOM 500  
JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING  
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Council Chairman Vincent C. Gray announces the rescheduling of a public hearing by the Committee of the Whole on Bill 17-188, the "Closing of a Portion of 8<sup>th</sup> Street, S.E., and the Public Alley in Square 5956 and W-5956, S.O. 05-4555, Act of 2007." The public hearing, originally scheduled for Wednesday, May 30, 2007, is rescheduled to Tuesday, June 12, 2007, at 11:00 a.m., in the Council Chamber, Room 500 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

Bill 17-188, introduced by Chairman Gray at the request of the Mayor, would close a portion of 8<sup>th</sup> Street, S.E., and the public alley in Square 5956 and W-5956, bounded by Alabama Avenue and Wheeler Road, S.E., in Ward 8. The applicant, Continental Development Corporation, requests the closure to facilitate the development of 86 moderately priced condominium units on the site of an abandon multi-family housing complex.

Individuals and representatives of organizations who wish to testify at the public hearing are requested to telephone Aretha Latta, Administrative Assistant to the Committee of the Whole, at 202-724-8196, by e-mail at [alatta@dccouncil.dc.us](mailto:alatta@dccouncil.dc.us), or by fax at 202-724-7139, and furnish their names, addresses, telephone numbers and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Friday, June 8, 2007. Witnesses should also provide 20 copies of their written testimony at the hearing or submit one copy of their written testimony by June 8, 2007. Each person presenting verbal testimony may be limited to 5 minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

Written statements for the record are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 410, Washington, D.C. 20004.